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THE
Child's Alphabet,

Emblematically

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TWENTY-FOUR PICTURES,

AND BROUGHT

Into Easy Verse

For the

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Contrived to allure Children

into the

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The ALPABET in Roman
Capital Letters.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O
P Q R S T U V W X Y Z.

Roman Small Letters.

b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q
r s t u v w x y z.

Italic Capital Letters.

*A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O
P Q R S T U V W X Y Z.*

Italic Small Letters.

*a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r
s t u v w x y z.*

Double Letters.

aa bb cc dd ee ff gg hh ii ll mm nn oo pp qq rr ss tt vv xx yy zz

The Vowels.

a e i o u y,

A

The tree of life,
And Adam's wife,
In Adam's fall,
We sinned all.



B

Pray read the bible,
Be you not idle.
This book attend,
Thy life to mend.



C

The cat and the Fiddle,
 High diddle diddle,
 The cat doth play,
 And after flee.



D

The dog doth bite,
 A thief at night,
 The careful bear,
 Doth please the best.



E

The Eagle's eye,
Mounts the sky,
An Eagle's flight,
Is • • • flight.



F

A fool will brag
Tho' not worth a rag,
The idle fool,
Is whipped at school.



G

As runs the Glass,
 Man's life doth pass,
 Thus flies Time,
 Make much of time.



H

My book and heart,
 Shall never part.
 Strive heart and hand,
 To obey command.



JESUS did die,
For thee and I,
Love well thy Saviour,
Shew it in behaviour.



King Charles the good,
Was of high blood.
The king obey,
So doth God say.



L

The lion bold,
The Lamb doth hold,
Sweet innocence,
Gives no offence.



M

How kind is heav'n,
Thus to have giv'n.
The moon at night,
To shine so bright.



N

The nightingale doth sing,
Most lovely in the spring,
The lolly tree
Is here you see.



O

The royal oak,
Is not a joke.
The oak we sing,
Did save the king.



P

Peter's sins,
Repentance brings.
Peter denies.
His Lord and cries.



Q

Queen Easter came in state,
The Jews to save from late.
Quaint words and behaviour.
Gain'd the King's favour.



R

Rachel doth mourn,
For her first born.
From earth we come,
To earth return.



S

Samuel annoints,
Whom God appoints.
Anointed David,
Well behaved.



T

Time cuts down all,
Both great and small,
The scythe and glass,
Shew time will pass.



U

Uriah's blood on the stone,
Made David seek his life,
Wickedness brings on,
A doleful strife.



W In the wale's belly Jonah lays,
 Three whole nights and days.
 Whales in the sea,
 God's voice obey.



X As the great must die,
 So must you and I.
 A king from death,
 Can't save his breath,



Y

Youth forward slips,
 Death soonest nips.
 Death with his dart,
 Strikes the youngest heart.



Z

Zaccheus climbs the tree,
 His lord to see,
 A willing mind for good,
 Make intentions understood.



The School Mistress.



Little Boys and Girls.

HE who will not learn his Letters,
 Shall never rank among his Betters;
 But like a Dunc, to whom no Art
 Can Sense or Discipline impart,
 Shall wallow in his Ignorance,
 And be a Stranger to good Sense:
 But whoso does to them incline,
 And will to Knowledge Practice join,
 Among the Wise esteem'd shall be,
 And plac'd with Men of high Degree.

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